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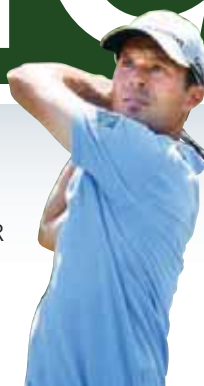
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Happy Canada Day, Halifax!

There won't be a print
edition of Metro for our
nation's birthday, but we'll
be back at it on Wednesday



PLATING UP A STORM

Chefs, including Le Bistro's Paul Pike, left, frantically plate food for the hungry crowd at the Right Some Good food festival on Spring Garden Road on Sunday. The three-day festival ended Sunday with a street party on the busy downtown street, which was partially closed to traffic. Story, page 3. JEFF HARPER/METRO

Puck stops here for McDonald

First goalie to go.
Halifax native picked
in second round by
Calgary Flames

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What did Mason McDonald do
this weekend?

"Went and did the Rocky
Balboa stairs and went to the
ballgame," the 18-year-old Hali-
fax native said Sunday of his ad-
ventures in Philadelphia.

Oh yeah, and he got drafted.
McDonald was the first net-
minder taken in the 2014 NHL
Draft, as the 34th overall selec-
tion by the Calgary Flames dur-
ing the second round Saturday
at the Wells Fargo Centre.

"It's a great honour," Mc-
Donald said of being the No. 1
goaltender. "I just have to keep
working hard to get better

every day, to make the NHL."

The six-foot-four, 185-pound
backstop spent the first half of
2013-14 with the QMJHL's Bath-
urst Titan before being traded to
the Charlottetown Islanders.
He completed the year with a
combined eight wins, 3.44
goals-against average and .900
save percentage.

McDonald also manned
the crease for Team Atlantic in
four of five games at the 2013
World Under-17 Hockey Chal-
lenge and won the gold medal
with Canada's National Men's
Under-18 Team at the 2013 Ivan
Hlinka Memorial tournament.

"A lot of interviews, and
then I took the rest of the day
to relax," he said of what he's
been up to since this past week-
end's milestone moment in his
hockey career, which he shared
with his grandparents, parents
and siblings.

"It was a good family trip,
a good experience to have
them in the stands when I was



Mason McDonald GETTY IMAGES

drafted," McDonald said. "Go-
ing down the line, and hugging
them, was pretty cool."

McDonald said he didn't
sleep much before the draft,
but despite the exhaustion, he
couldn't be more excited to put
on a Flames jersey. "I think I'm
going to a great organization."

As for what's next on Mc-
Donald's busy schedule, "I am
going to train this week, and on
Thursday I leave for Calgary."

"It's the rookie camp," he
said. "I think they are taking us
to the Stampede, so it's going to
be fun."

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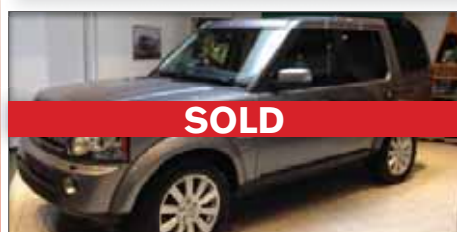
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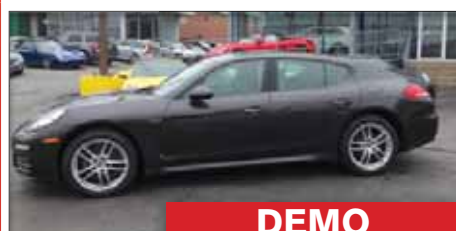


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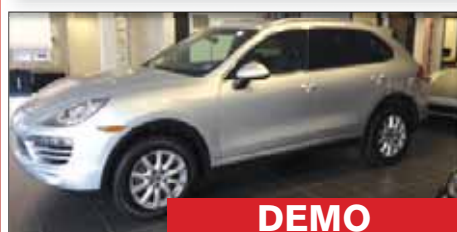
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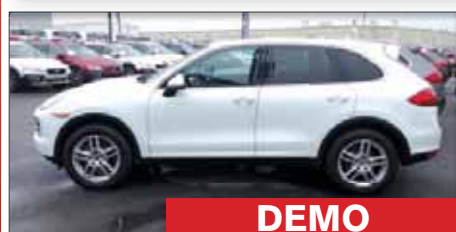
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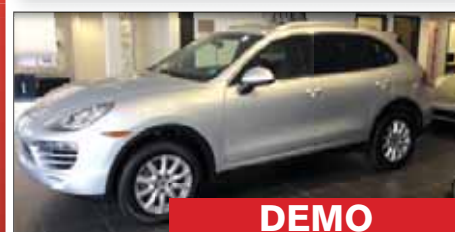
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Pictou

Man, 39, dies in ATV crash

Police in Pictou are investigating after they say a 39-year-old man died in an ATV crash.

Around 9:30 p.m. Friday, RCMP, paramedics and the Thorburn Fire Department responded to reports of an ATV crash at the base of a driveway on Pine Tree Road.

RCMP said a preliminary investigation determined the man lost control of the ATV and left the road. He was taken to the Aberdeen Hospital and then flown to Halifax.

David Wayne Rorison of Alma succumbed to his injuries and died in hospital around noon on Saturday, police said in a release.

The cause of the crash is under investigation. **METRO**

Halifax hotel

Dozens sick from stomach illness outbreak

An outbreak of stomach illness at a Halifax hotel left between 50 and 70 people feeling under the weather last week.

Capital Health is currently investigating what caused so many guests and staff at the Delta Halifax to suffer everything from vomiting to chills and cramps.

The symptoms were reported between June 23 and 27, although no one has yet been admitted to hospital.

According to a release from Capital Health, the hotel has removed any food items suspected to have caused the problem and has asked sick staff not to report to work for at least 48 hours. **METRO**



Patrons line up for artisanal food during the Right Some Good food festival on Spring Garden Road on Sunday. JEFF HARPER/METRO

Foodies, families have Right Some Good time

'Quite exciting.'

Thousands attend food festival in downtown Halifax



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Thousands of people wandered along sunny Spring Garden Road on Sunday afternoon, watching some chefs on stage compete while dozens more prepared and served gourmet street food to huge lines of people.

A delicious smell wafted through the air around the main food tent for the Right Some Good street festival,

Quoted

"It's just a great time and everybody is in a great mood." Christian Allaire

where the busy road was closed between Queen and South Park streets for pedestrians to check out local vendors as well as sample food made by 12 master chefs from across Canada, the U.S. and Caribbean working with Halifax chefs.

"It has to come back," said Paula Prendergast as she finished a plate of lamb and grits before moving onto a snow crab sandwich.

"It just pops, the flavour. It's that good."

Terry Watters and Christine Lemieux came from the

Annapolis Valley for the Saturday night five-course meal on HMCS Preserver, and hung out at the street fair all day Sunday to sample dishes like the Mediterranean steak taco.

"It's been quite exciting to be able to come here," said Watters, who went to Cape Breton last year to attend the festival. "We spent overnight so I think it's a great thing for Halifax and ... for all of us who are somewhat foodies."

Christian Allaire, manager of Halikids on South Park Street, said the festival was a great exposure for business-

es to set up tents and have people "see what's out there" for the Spring Garden area.

Live bands played throughout the day, and many watched the black box competitions on a stage where junior, local, and the visiting master chefs competed to make the best dish with the same mystery ingredients.

Benjamin Kelly, chef at Rockbottom Brew Pub, said it was fun to compete alongside his mentor Brad Wammes at Kitchen Door Catering as their heat in the competition prepared a fish dish with Benjamin Bridge wine, haskap berry juice, and asparagus.

"(It brings) attention to food, which is very important. That's the biggest thing it can do," Kelly said.

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Precious little shopping to do on Canada Day

What's open, what's closed. But, hey, it's a holiday — go find something else to do



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As Canada Day rolls around on Tuesday, residents in the Halifax region won't be doing much shopping, but a few liquor stores will remain open.

All Atlantic Superstore and Sobeys locations are closed on July 1, as well as Nova Scotia Liquor Corporation outlets, banks, malls, and Halifax Public Library branches.

Both Propeller Brewery locations on Gottingen Street and Windmill Road are open until 8 p.m., while the Garrison Brewery on Marginal Road is open from 10 a.m. to 8 p.m.

Reels keep spinning

Want to catch a movie? You can, as all movie theatres in the Halifax region are open.

Bishop's Cellar is open 10 a.m. to 10 p.m. The North Brewing Company on Agricola is open from noon to 6 p.m.

The Moosehead Cold Beer Store in Burnside is open from 10 a.m. to midnight.

Parking is free at all meters, and Metro Transit buses will run on a holiday schedule. Ferry service is free from all terminals.

Tuesday's garbage and recyclable collection was taken this past Saturday instead.

The Otter Lake landfill, composting facilities and recycling plant are also closed.

Post offices are closed and no mail will be delivered.

Most drug stores are open.



A long-awaited day of rest and revelry

An employee at the Barrington Street Superstore shuffles carts past a Canada Day mural on the store windows on Sunday. Canada Day celebrations are planned throughout the city on Tuesday. **JEFF HARPER/METRO**

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Man arrested over beating of homeless man arrested again

A man accused in last week's beating of a homeless man in Halifax was arrested for breaching conditions less than 24 hours after being let go by police.

Jaspaul Nijjar, 24, was arrested Thursday night after being found in the area of Victoria Park, a place he was not allowed to be according to the conditions of his release.

"He was released on condition to stay away from the area where the incident occurred, and he didn't do that," said Halifax Regional Police spokesman Pierre Bourdages.



Victoria Park in Halifax.
JEFF HARPER/METRO

Police were alerted to Nijjar's presence near the park by a member of the public. He was arrested without incident at 6:30 p.m. on Spring

Garden Road, police say.

Nijjar is charged with breach of undertaking and breach of probation and appeared in Halifax provincial court on Friday.

Those charges are in addition to ones in connection with the beating of a 61-year-old homeless man at Victoria Park on Wednesday. Police say the accused approached the older man and punched him several times in the face after a verbal dispute.

The victim was treated for facial injuries but did not go to hospital.

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Highway 4

Senior killed in motorcycle crash

A 69-year-old man is dead after a motorcycle crash on a Cape Breton highway.

RCMP say the driver was travelling on Highway 4 near Hay Cove on Saturday evening when he hit the shoulder of the road.

Emergency workers took the man to hospital where he died. Police say the man was from Birch Grove. **THE CANADIAN PRESS**

Crime

Four arrested in twin drug busts

Halifax police have charged a 50-year-old man with possession for the purpose of trafficking after finding cash and cocaine at a home in Dartmouth. He was arrested in the 200 block of Windmill Road on Friday. Police also arrested three males on Drysdale Road in Halifax on Friday in a separate probe that turned up cash and marijuana. **METRO**

Northern mainland

Thousands left without power

Nearly 3,800 customers were without power in northern mainland Nova Scotia on Sunday afternoon.

The outage began shortly after 2 p.m., affecting mostly the region northwest of Truro.

Nova Scotia Power's website blamed the incident on a transmission line interruption.

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Tattoo Festival Schedule

Free Noon Time Performances July 2-4 & July 7-8

Date	Sobeys	Grand Parade	Spring Garden Road	Keshen Goodman Public Library	Alderney Landing	Airport	Waterfront (Sackville Landing)	Province House	Halifax Metro Centre
Tuesday July 1			Make a day of it! Take the family and join us for the Tattoo Parade at 10:30 am, then make your way to the Sobeys tent near the Halifax Ferry Terminal for some food sampling – while supplies last! After lunch, walk back up the hill to the Metro Centre to join us for the Tattoo's Opening Show at 2:30 pm!						2:30 pm Matinee Tattoo
Wednesday July 2			Canadian Armed Forces Pipes and Drums (Canada)	Nova Scotia Irish Dancers, Atlantic Region Cadets Fife & Drums (Canada)	RWCMD Brass Band (UK)	Showproject (Germany)	Canadian Armed Forces Reserve Composite Band (Canada)		7:30 pm Evening Tattoo
Thursday July 3			RWCMD Brass Band (UK)	Canadian Armed Forces Reserve Composite Band (Canada)	Talenthødet (Denmark)	Atlantic Region Cadets Pipes and Drums (Canada)		Nova Scotia Irish Dancers, Atlantic Region Cadets Fife and Drums (Canada)	7:30 pm Evening Tattoo
Friday July 4			Canadian Armed Forces Pipes and Drums (Canada)	Starbugs (Switzerland)	Top Secret (Switzerland), North Nova Education Centre Jazz Choir (Canada)	Juliana Bicycle Team (Netherlands)	RWCMD Brass Band (UK)	Atlantic Region Cadets Pipes and Drums (Canada)	7:30 pm Evening Tattoo
Monday July 7			Juliana Bicycle Team (Netherlands)	Canadian Armed Forces Reserve Composite Band (Canada)	Canadian Armed Forces Pipes and Drums (Canada)	North American Brass Band Summer School (Canada, USA & UK)	Nova Scotia Irish Dancers, North Nova Education Centre Jazz Choir (Canada)	Stadacona Band (Canada)	7:30 pm Evening Tattoo
Tuesday July 8			North American Brass Band Summer School (Canada, USA & UK)	Black Watch Assoc Pipes and Drums (Canada)	Top Secret (Switzerland), North Nova Education Centre Jazz Choir (Canada)	Starbugs (Switzerland)		Juliana Bicycle Team (Netherlands)	7:30 pm Evening Tattoo

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Former shelter. Building demolition puts SMU and Heritage Trust at odds

The Heritage Trust of Nova Scotia says it is upset over the demolition of a house that sheltered single mothers and their babies in the early 1900s.

It says the demolition of the Halifax Infants' Home started early Friday morning.

The group said in a statement that it had hoped talks could continue between Saint Mary's University and the community to try to save the 115-year-old home.

The historic building is located on the grounds of the

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The cost Saint Mary's University stated it would be to renovate the building.

university.

The university has said it could cost up to \$13 million to renovate the building.

The heritage group challenged that figure, alleging that it was higher than necessary. **THE CANADIAN PRESS**

In the fall

Eight intersections to lose crossing guards

Come the fall, there will be eight fewer intersections manned by crossing guards in Halifax.

A review process

between Halifax Regional Police and the municipality identified 21 intersections as no longer needing a crossing guard for the 2014-15 school year.

Traffic and other safety concerns meant not all 21 of those intersections will lose their crossing guards, but only eight would.

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Couple 'absolutely struck dumb' over lottery win



Jeff and Marion Ross receive their prize. COURTESY ATLANTIC LOTTERY CORPORATION

Set For Life. Pair wins \$675,000 in Atlantic Lottery Corporation's scratching game

Jeff Ross almost didn't buy a ticket that's left him Set for Life.

Jeff and his wife, Marion, often pick up a Set for Life ticket when they buy their gas. When the cashier at T.J.'s Convenience in Coldbrook pulled out the old series of tickets, however, Jeff almost decided not to buy it.

This is it

"If we watch our investments, we'll have the money to do what we want, when we want."

Lottery winner Jeff Ross

"I asked her, 'Are you sure there are still some major prizes left?' She said yes, she was sure, and they were still valid, so I said, 'Yes, sure, I'll have them,'" Jeff said.

The couple say they have a nice tradition: They sit down in the morning — Jeff with his coffee, Marion with her tea — and read the paper, scratching away. Somewhere between the front page and the comics on June 26, the Kentville couple had a winner.

"We were absolutely struck dumb," said Marion.

It turned out the couple had won the final of the five big prizes in that old series of tickets Jeff had almost rejected. Atlantic Lottery Corporation had left the tickets in the stores while they awaited their final winner.

The top prize in a Set for Life scratch ticket is either a \$1,000 per week for 25 years or a lump sum payment of \$675,000. Jeff and Marion opted to take the lump sum. **KING'S COUNTY REGISTER**

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Canada

Government releases 'persona non grata' list for Canada Day

Foreign Affairs. The 2014 list likely includes Russia for the first time

The Harper government is snubbing officials from a select group of pariah states, ordering its diplomatic missions around the world not to invite them to receptions celebrating Canada Day on July 1.

Foreign Affairs circulates a "persona non grata" list in June each year, warning its embassies, consulates and other missions to bar those on the list from Canada Day events.

The department has refused to release its latest list, but The Canadian Press obtained last year's version — likely little changed for 2014, with the possible inclusion of Russia for the first time.



Prime Minister Stephen Harper walks past Russian President Vladimir Putin at the G20 Summit in September 2013. ADRIAN WYLD/THE CANADIAN PRESS

North Korea, Fiji, Belarus, Iran, Syria, Madagascar and Guinea-Bissau are prominent, largely because of Canada's disapproval of unelected or badly behaved governments.

Taiwan is on the list only because Canada does not recognize the island as a state.

Sudan has special status: officials can be invited, but only those not named in the arrest warrants from the International Criminal Court.

A memorandum from deputy minister Morris Rosenberg also notes the invitation restrictions apply for events being held in Canada as well.

"The same considerations would apply to any official Canada Day event hosted in Ottawa and involving the local diplomatic corps," he said.

The memo and related materials were obtained under the Access to Information Act, with a few parts blacked out.

Asked to comment on the list provided to The Canadian Press, a spokesman said "it is not our practice to provide lists of country representatives invited or not invited to functions held at our missions abroad." **THE CANADIAN PRESS**



Johnny Canuck to return?

A Johnny Canuck splash page is seen amid a pile of Canadian comics. Toronto archivist and publisher Rachel Richey has obtained the rights to resurrect the Canadian character, who appeared off and on in newspapers and comics starting in the 19th century. Scan the photo with your Metro News app for a glimpse of the old comics. DARREN CALABRESE/THE CANADIAN PRESS

\$20K for everyone?

Minimum income idea seeing surge in interest

A group of academics and activists is trying to drum up interest in a plan to provide every Canadian with a guaranteed minimum level of income — whether or not they have a job.

Rob Rainer, with the Basic Income Canada Network, envisions a country where everyone is assured a minimum of \$20,000 annually to make ends meet.

"For many of us, we think the goal is no one should be living in poverty," Rainer said at a conference on the issue at McGill University.

And in the United States, the idea has supporters on both sides of the political spectrum. Proponents on the left argue it represents an opportunity for greater redistribution of wealth, while those on the right see it as a chance to cut back on bureaucracy and return control to people's lives. **THE CANADIAN PRESS**

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UN. Health officials want more money for mothers, but interventions failing

In the past decade, billions of dollars have been spent trying to save the lives of mothers in developing countries using strategies, usually inexpensive drugs, deemed essential by the UN health agency.

Yet two large analyses of maternal health programs—including one conducted by the UN itself—report that the efforts appear to be almost useless, raising troubling questions about why all that money was spent.

While critics are calling for the pricey global initiatives to be significantly overhauled, the programs are still being implemented, despite little proof they work. The practices mainly involve procedures like ensuring women giving birth get cheap drugs such as magnesium sulphate to treat labour complications, or pre-emptive antibiotics for those getting a caesarean sec-

Dollars for what?

At an international meeting of UN partners starting Monday in South Africa, health officials are getting ready to ask donors for even more money to pour into maternal health programs.

- According to research scientists found no link between the supposedly life-saving interventions and the death rates of women giving birth.

tion. Even public health officials acknowledge they were taken aback by the studies.

"Nobody could have been more surprised than I was when we got the results," said Dr. Omrana Pasha of Pakistan, who led one study of maternal health interventions. **THE ASSOCIATED PRESS**

He's back! Rob Ford returns from rehab with four months to election

Toronto Mayor Rob Ford is set to leave rehab Monday, returning to the intense public glare from which he has been relatively absent for two months since he was forced to seek help amid fresh allegations of drinking and drug use.

Ford plans to resume his mayoral duties—curtailed by city council in November following his "drunken stupors" and crack-cocaine admissions—in the afternoon, according to a letter he sent to the city clerk's office.

But with less than four months left in the term, the bulk of the renewed Ford

attention will likely be focused on his bid to win another four years in office. His city councillor brother-turned campaign manager, Doug Ford, has indicated the mayor will also resume fighting for re-election in the Oct. 27 vote. The mayor will make a statement upon his return, but won't field any questions, Doug Ford added.

Several city councillors have remarked at how calm city hall has been in Ford's absence. A Washington think-tank held a symposium to explore how Toronto ever elected Ford.

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Rob Ford leaving home in May. Now he returns from rehab. **THE CANADIAN PRESS**

Twin disasters in India kill at least 22

Weekend tragedies. Dozens still trapped after two structures fall; police investigating construction company



Rescuers with a sniffer dog search for workers buried in the rubble of a building that collapsed late Saturday during monsoon rains on the outskirts of Chennai, India. **ARUN SANKAR K/THE ASSOCIATED PRESS**

Police in southern India detained five construction company officials Sunday, as rescuers using gas cutters and shovels searched for dozens of workers believed buried in the rubble of a building that collapsed during monsoon rains.

It was one of two weekend building collapses that killed at least 22 people.

Nearly 90 contract workers were believed to have been in the basement of the 11-storey structure to collect their wages when it collapsed Saturday on the outskirts of Chennai, the capital of Tamil Nadu state.

Police said 31 had been pulled out so far; four died on the spot and another seven succumbed to injuries in a hospital.

The exact number of those trapped was unknown but rescuers could hear feeble voices in the debris, said T.S. Sridhar, the disaster management agency commissioner. Officials used gas cutters, iron rods and shovels after cranes lifted concrete blocks to get to the survivors.

"Removing debris is a major challenge. It may take two to three days to clear the rubble," said S.P. Selvam, who is heading the rescue operation.

Police officer George Fernandes said two directors, two engineers and one supervisor of the construction

Rescue operations & investigations

"Removing debris is a major challenge. It may take two to three days to clear the rubble."

S.P. Selvam, who is heading the rescue operation. Police said two directors, two engineers and one supervisor of the construction company were detained for questioning.

visor of the construction company, Prime Sristi, were detained for questioning as authorities began investigating the collapse.

Balaguru, one of the builders (who uses only one name), said the structure collapsed possibly due to the impact of lightning.

"Usually, once the construction gets over we install the equipment to prevent

the building from a thunder strike. It was nearing completion," the Press Trust of India news agency quoted Balaguru as saying.

India is notorious for building collapses.

In April last year, 74 people were killed when an eight-story building being constructed illegally in a Mumbai suburb collapsed.

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Sad record

Earlier Saturday, 11 people died and one survivor was being treated in a hospital after a four-storey, 50-year-old structure toppled in an area of New Delhi inhabited by the poor.

- Most homes in that part of the capital were built without permission, using substandard materials, police said.
- Building collapses are common in India. Lax regulations encourage builders to cut corners, add unauthorized floors or use poor materials.

Group declares Islamic state

The al-Qaida breakaway group that has seized much of northern Syria and huge tracts of neighbouring Iraq formally declared the creation of an Islamic state on Sunday in the territory under its control.

The spokesman for the Islamic State of Iraq and the Levant, Abu Mohammed al-Adnani, made the announcement in an audio statement

posted online. Islamic extremists have long dreamed of recreating the Islamic state, or caliphate, that ruled over the Middle East in various forms for hundreds of years.

Abu Mohammed al-Adnani declared the group's chief, Abu Bakr al-Baghdadi, the new leader, or caliph, of the Islamic state, and called on those living in areas under

the organization's control to swear allegiance to al-Baghdadi and support him.

"The legality of all emirates, groups, states and organizations becomes null by the expansion of the caliph's authority and the arrival of its troops to their areas," al-Adnani said. He added the group was changing its name to just the Islamic State.

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Iraqi security holding a flag of the new state. **THE ASSOCIATED PRESS**

Loose-lip leader can sink stock



HOW TO ROLL
Alison Griffiths
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Top leaders are kind of important when billions of shareholder dollars are at stake. Lululemon shareholders are keenly aware of the impact a leader can have.

The company's stock has nosedived more than 50 per cent since founder and resident loose cannon, Chip Wilson, said the company's infamously sheer yoga pants fell apart because some women's thighs were too large.

Abercrombie and Fitch CEO Mike Jeffries also had a case of foot-in-mouth when an interview recorded in 2006 resurfaced last year. "A lot of people don't belong [in our clothes]," he said, "and they can't belong. Are we exclusionary? Absolutely."

And the stock absolutely plummeted from just over \$50 US to under \$32.

It isn't always gaffes from those in the corner office

What investors say:

- 32 per cent base their decision to invest on perception of the CEO
- 40 per cent would sell stock based solely on a new CEO
- 15 per cent would buy stock based solely on a new CEO

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that skewer a company's price. Apple is perhaps the most famous example of the impact a departed leader can have.

After the legendary Steve Jobs died in October 2011, Apple stock continued to drift upward. But the honeymoon period for successor Tim Cook ended a year later.

Investors worried that he didn't have Jobs' innovation gene and the stock price quickly went south. It dropped from \$100 (accounting for the recent seven-for-one stock split) to under \$60



Lululemon Athletica founder Chip Wilson arrives for the company's annual general meeting in Vancouver, B.C., on June 11. JONATHAN HAYWARD/THE CANADIAN PRESS FILE

in just 10 months.

At the other end of the spectrum is Hunter Harrison. When the 11-year veteran of CN stepped into the CEO slot of underperforming rival CP Rail in 2012, the celebration began. The stock went from flatlining in the low \$50 range to \$190.

But investors can be forgiving of blunders. Wilson, a majority shareholder at Lululemon, caused the stock to inch up 3 per cent last week by retaining Goldman Sachs to consult on a company shake-up.

Even more dramatically, American Apparel shares

jumped 15 per cent last week when recently ousted founder Dov Charney vowed to re-take company control.

But this increase is hard to understand given that Charney's blunders dropped the company from a \$4 stock to a 50-cent one over the past six years.

CRTC

Rogers, Bell clash over local TV

Two of Canada's biggest telecommunications companies are clashing over the future of local television.

In its submissions to the CRTC, Bell said it believes changes should be made by the regulator to allow local TV stations to be reclassified as "local specialty services." But Rogers says it won't support the plan for the new expenses, which it feels would likely filter down to the cable bills of customers. **THE CANADIAN PRESS**

Unions

Walmart to pay up, court rules

The Supreme Court of Canada has ruled in favour of Quebec workers who lost their jobs at a Wal-Mart store in Jonquière, Que., when it shut its doors suddenly, within months of its employees unionizing. The court ordered that the workers be compensated.

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PETER, PETER COLUMNIST FEEDER

Peter MacKay is the columnist's gift that keeps on giving. Even on the eve of a national holiday when newsmakers worth their spin doctors know better than to do anything newsworthy ... Peter MacKay never lets us down.

You may remember Peter, he of the "I solemnly swear" never to merge the Progressive Conservative Party with the upstart Canadian Alliance if he won the PC leadership in 2003, won, and then almost instantly hitched his wagon to Stephen Harper to give us ... the regressive Conservative mess we're in today.

Some of you may remember Peter more for his dalliances than his grasp of political detail. The infamous 2005 breakup with Tory-turned-Liberal MP Belinda Stronach, after which Peter repaired to the family farm, TV cameras in tow, to commiserate with a borrowed dog. Or Peter, a year later, heart-



URBAN COMPASS

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ache gone, whispering sweet somethings into the ear of American Secretary of State Condoleezza Rice.

Lest you think I am being dismissive of MacKay's more manly accomplishments — like his Mother's Day message to female Justice Department employees — let me remind you that, as defence minister, Peter commandeered a coast-guard search-and-rescue helicopter as his taxi home from a remote Newfoundland fishing lodge. And spent \$47,313 of taxpayers' money staging a photo op in a fake F-35, touting what would become that wildly-over-budget, still-unbuilt fighter jet as the solution to Canada's defence (industry) woes.

That was before he became justice minister and the auteur of all those expensive, unnecessary and likely unconstitutional tough-on-crime laws.

And before he picked a fight with Canada's chief justice over the government's unacceptable Supreme Court appointment.

Oh, that Peter

Some of you may remember Peter more for his dalliances than his grasp of political detail.

And before he tried to circumvent the process with another stealth appointment. And before ...

Now married with a toddler, and therefore an expert on diapers, nurture versus nature and the distinctly different roles of fathers and mothers, Peter last week was exposed as the author of equally sexist Father's and Mother's Day messages to Justice Department staff.

Bad enough.

Worse, Peter, as usual, refused to accept responsibility for his signed message, blaming it on a (probably hormonally addled, too-busy-diaper-changing) female staffer.

Thank you, Peter MacKay, the columnist's friend, for keeping the story alive. Happy Canada Day. Happy diaper changing.

LOCHIN' IT DOWN



People say they are mad for trying, but this crew is going to pedalo around the North Sea, anyway. COURTESY HOWARD SIMONS

Monstrous challenge

Pedalo-ing up some cash



ED FOSTER
Online editor at
Motor Sport
magazine, 31,
based in London

Four friends are bidding to become the first people to sail around the 500-mile northern tip of Scotland by pedalo.

Metro talks to Ed Foster, founder of the 500-mile Pedalo project.

What is the idea behind the project? It's all about raising money for charity. My father was diagnosed with Parkinson's disease six years ago and, despite him putting on a brave face, it really is an absolutely terrible disease. Last year my friends Tash and Nico lost their mom to lung cancer only two months after diagnosis. It was a massive shock to all of us.

Why choose a pedalo? It's not very leisurely out on the North Sea ... Not at all (laughs). Our pedalo, named Mutly, is in the shape of the Loch Ness monster and that's going to make it tougher due to wind resistance. The chal-

lenge is as ridiculous as it is mad, but that's why we love it.

Do your families think you're bonkers? Yes, pretty much.

What have been the main challenges in preparing for this feat? Getting the right pedalo made for it. Pedalos are used on calm lakes as a leisurely way to pass five minutes. No one does missions on pedalos and I have never met a 'pedalo specialist.'

And yet you're taking to the water ... Failure is not an option for us. We will finish the task even if we lose half the boat in a storm.

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Plenty of cheers in city of Algiers



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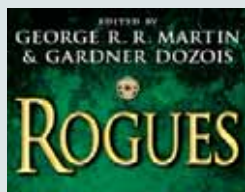
It's been a very tough run for Algeria at the past few World Cups, so when the nation officially advanced to this year's round of 16 by playing Russia to a draw, it was time to celebrate. And by that we mean time for the entire city of Algiers to lose its mind and get with the fireworks.

It sure would be nice for Canada to be involved in this little soccer tournament. It looks fun.
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The savagery which the Game of Thrones series is known for can be traced back to one man, Prince Daemon Targaryen, whose tale is included here amongst a collection of short stories about rogues edited by George R. R. Martin. All the stories are deliciously fun, but it's the inventive scoundrels of Neil Gaiman and Connie Willis who steal the show.

BBC

He's coming back! Sherlock to return for Christmas 2015

Martin Freeman, who plays Dr. John Watson on BBC's Sherlock, dropped the first hint of what's to come for the show since its third season aired in January. In an interview with Britain's The Telegraph, he revealed that Sherlock will resume filming early next year — for what will likely be a Christmas 2015 special.

But that wasn't the only new information Freeman dropped about the fate of the show.

"We generally follow the trajectory of what (Arthur) Conan Doyle did. So (Watson) gets married, and then (his wife) Mary dies — so at some point presumably she'll die," Freeman told the Telegraph.

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Benedict Cumberbatch and Martin Freeman on Sherlock.

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Under the Dome gets 'so Stephen King-ian'

Dean Norris. Actor dishes on his dastardly character's 'come to God' moment and the Dome as a cruel master



NED EHRLAR
Metro in Hollywood

Dean Norris picked one heck of a series as a follow-up to Breaking Bad, taking on the dastardly role of local politico Big Jim on Under the Dome, based on the novel by Stephen King. That choice certainly seems to be working out for him. The series, a smash hit last summer, returns Monday at 10 p.m. ET/PT on Global for another season chronicling the mysteriously cut-off town. Here, Norris lets us in on what to expect this year.

Where we find Big Jim at the start of the season:

Big Jim thinks that he knows what's best for the town and he thinks he's inspired by the Dome to do what he does ... What happens in the first episode is that he comes to an awakening and he re-evaluates his position and his kind of personal trajectory and decides that maybe a different kind of Big Jim is required to survive under the Dome. Whether that turns out to be truthful or not, that's what we'll find out as the season goes on.

One of the things that Big Jim is trying to deal with is seeing if there is enough food for everybody, if there is enough water for everybody, what resources are left for us to survive under the Dome. That's definitely one of the themes that we deal with, and Big Jim in particular is looking to try to answer or come up with a solution for.

Whether Big Jim might be lightening up a little this season:

Actually, I think so. I think part of the transformation, the kind of theme we are talking about this year includes some redemption for Big Jim. It's actually in the first episode that he has kind of a "come to God" or "come to Dome" moment where he believes that maybe his purpose in life shouldn't be to be so nasty. And that's kind



Dean Norris stars as bad boy Big Jim on Under the Dome. GLOBAL



Mike Vogel and Rachelle Lefevre also star in Under the Dome. GLOBAL

of a story arc that continues throughout the season; whether he has a higher purpose, a greater purpose other than just killing people and being mean to his son.

The rules of life under the Dome:

The Dome is a harsh master.

I think we are discovering what the Dome can and can't do. That's part of the season arc. I think we are all struggling to find out what it means, what its powers are, whether it's good or whether it's bad, whose side it's on. So all of those are questions that we attempt to answer

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→ What can fans expect from Season 2 of Under the Dome? Scan this photo with your Metro News app for a video of Stephen King, Dean Norris, Rachelle Lefevre and others talking about what's coming.



→ See the full instructions on Metro's Voices page.

Change of heart

"What happens in the first episode is that he comes to an awakening and he re-evaluates his position and his kind of personal trajectory and decides that maybe a different kind of Big Jim is required to survive under the Dome."

Actor Dean Norris on his character on Under the Dome

and that we struggle with throughout the season, basically getting to know that exact thing, what is it about, what could it do?

Bringing in Stephen King to write the first new episode:

Can I say something about Stephen King? The first episode is so Stephen King-ian and part of it is that almost in the midst of the kind of most horrifying and tragic elements, there are these little lines that are almost kind of humorous. It was so cool to see that because it's in his books and it was so cool to see it in the script.

I think you will see in that first episode there are moments where Big Jim maybe sees ghosts or they may be ghosts or they may be whatever they are. And while it's a kind of a terrifying or horrifying situation, it's also funny to see Big Jim have to squirm with these kind of Ghosts of Christmas Past and the future and have to deal with them. And it's such a Stephen King-ian thing and it's all present there in the first episode that he wrote.

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OUR TAKE ON THE WORLD OF CELEBRITIES

Pop goes the week

Ryan Seacrest gets his bod bikini-ready



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Ryan Seacrest tweets that he's doing something called a Bikini Kleanse and asks his followers not to judge. Dude, there's no judging here. You can do whatever you want with your bikini as long as you buy a dictionary.

Gary Oldman rants against "political correctness" and spews a wide variety of racist, anti-gay and misogynist slurs during a Playboy interview. That's really too bad, and it leaves an unexpected, gaping vacancy

on my all-time list of actor crushes. So welcome, guy who plays Hook on Once Upon a Time.

Kanye West's community service for attacking a photographer will be served teaching at a fashion school. Leather Jogging Pants 101 and Yelling for no Reason 102 are already booked solid.

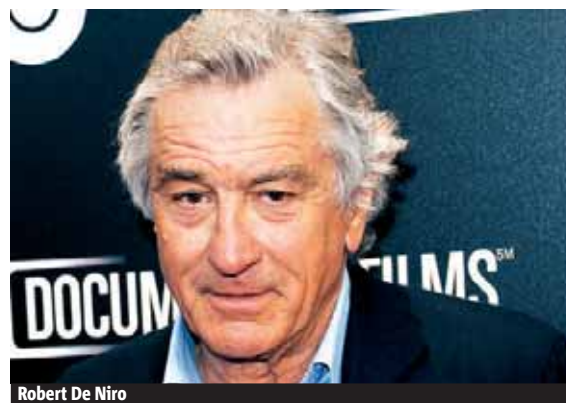
Gordon Ramsay announces he will be making no more Kitchen Nightmares shows. He won't have time, since he promised Kanye to help him out teaching one of those college courses.

While visiting the set of Game of Thrones, the Queen declines a chance to sit on the Iron Throne. She didn't care that it would have been turned into a massive meme or that her entire reign would have been nullified by



one pop culture moment. She was just really afraid the tiny magnets sewn into her skirt to prevent lifting would cling to the throne.

One Direction is releasing a cosmetics line. Sigh. All this time I thought it was the way I flipped my hair that made me beautiful.



Robert De Niro

Meet the neighbours: De Niro crashes viewing party

If you're planning on having a World Cup viewing party for any upcoming games, be sure to leave room for Robert De Niro. The Oscar-winning actor reportedly crashed a get-together at an apartment near the Brooklyn set of his new film to watch last week's match between Germany and

the U.S., according to Business Insider. Apparently the movie's studio, Warner Bros., was ready to mount a satellite dish on a nearby building and run a cable down to his trailer if they couldn't find accommodating hosts for De Niro and company, but luckily it didn't come to that. **METRO**

Rick Ross arrested after failing to appear in court

Rapper Rick Ross has been released after his arrest following a U.S. concert.

Greensboro Police Department spokeswoman Susan Danielsen says Ross was taken into custody Friday after the SuperJam concert in Greensboro, N.C. She says a court had issued an order for his arrest because he failed to appear in court on a previous misdemeanor marijuana charge.

The rapper, whose real name is William L. Roberts, was taken into custody after



Rick Ross

his performance. Danielsen says he was released on \$1,000 US bond. **THE ASSOCIATED PRESS**



Neil Patrick Harris

NPH's hubby doesn't trust him around flirty guys

Neil Patrick Harris wasted no time announcing his exit from the Broadway production of Hedwig and the Angry Inch after winning his first Tony award, but apparently it wasn't just because he thought his work there was done. "Neil and (husband) David (Burtka) came to an agreement that he would let Neil do Hedwig on Broadway for six months, including the rehearsals and previews," a source explains to Radar Online. "David didn't trust leaving Neil in New York to do the show while he and the kids went back to L.A. because he knows that other guys are always very flirtatious with Neil in L.A. and he didn't want to risk it in New York. At least in L.A. David is always around to make sure it never goes any further. And not to say certain guys haven't become 'friendly' with David in New York, too, but without each other around it's hard to resist other guys hitting on them." **METRO**

Huey Domestic Long Hair

Two-year-old Huey is a giant of a cat with a big personality to match his size. His beautiful black fur and deep golden-yellow eyes add to his dramatic appearance. Huey is friendly, enjoys attention and is happy to show off his good looks, charm and playful spirit. This boy is an energetic cat who would probably be best in a home without young children. Huey was found by a rescue group in the Annapolis Valley and was transferred to the SPCA shelter in Burnside. **He loves receiving visitors, so come on in to meet him!**



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Give your kids some credit

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Teaching children as young as 10 how credit works will pay off



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As a society, we're no damn good at handling credit. Since it's only a matter of time until someone comes and waves a credit card under your kids' noses and says, "Try it, you'll like it," your job is to make sure they're prepared to deal with credit smartly.

Can you imagine walking into a bank and saying, "Scuse me, but I don't have a job, I've never had credit, may I have a credit card, please?" They'd laugh uproariously at your impudence. Yet every year lenders hand out thousands of credit cards to unsuspecting students who have no visible means of repayment and don't understand the impact of failing Credit Management 101.

Want to change that for your children?

As early as 10, start teaching your children how credit works, when to use it, and how to spend only what they can afford.

Issue your child a credit card on the Bank of Mom & Dad. Have Sonny Boy design the card and draw up a cardholder's agreement that you both sign. In the agreement, lay down the rules: How much credit he can use (the "credit limit"), when his statement will arrive, how much time he has to pay (the



Life in plastic? It's fantastic if your kid first understands how credit works. ISTOCK

"grace period"), and the minimum payment required. Most importantly, describe with examples how much interest your child will have to pay on any balance outstanding.

The point of the exercise is to help kids to learn the reality of credit use. Lesson #1: When you use someone else's money to buy stuff, that stuff costs

more. You must charge interest.

Don't come hissing and spitting at me with terms like "usury" and "profit." I'm not suggesting you build your retirement plan from your child's borrowing. If you want children to experience the true impact of using someone else's money to meet their spending

Loan them your expertise

It's far better for your kids to experiment with credit under your careful guidance so that by the time they head off on their own, they'll have mastered their debt responsibilities.

needs then interest must be a part of the equation.

If you teach them it costs nothing more to acquire that scooter than the ticket price, are you really preparing them for the credit cards and personal lines of credit that are in their futures?

How much interest is enough? I suggest you go with 28 per cent a year — like a store card — otherwise the interest is not significant enough for them to feel the pinch and learn the lesson.

Now Sonny Boy can use his credit card when he sees something he wants to buy, but doesn't have any money. He gives you his credit card. You make the purchase on his behalf. You give him a charge slip to sign (a receipt book will do nicely for this). And you return his card and charge slip.

At billing time, you total his charges and present him with a bill that shows the minimum payment and the total outstanding balance. In a perfect world he pays you back in full. More likely, he makes a partial payment and carries a balance and you're in the business of calculating interest.

If you're giving an allowance from time to time, you

may be hit up for an advance. This is another opportunity to teach about borrowing. Make sure to charge Baby Doll interest on the advance.

What if Baby Doll won't repay the advance? Time for Lesson #2: Inconsistent repayment affects your ability to borrow in the future. Tell her that before you give her another loan, she must offer you some form of collateral. It may be her bike, her telephone or her iPad. Make up a loan agreement and include a paragraph that clearly spells out that if the loan is not repaid on time, you have the right to take whatever collateral she has given you until the loan is repaid.

If Baby Doll consistently slips off the repayment path, you could withhold a part of her allowance and apply that to the repayment of the loan (like having your wages "garnished"). But then you are removing the responsibility for making the repayment from your child. A better lesson would be to insist upon repayment as soon as you have given the allowance. Create a chart showing how much she owes. Each week, reduce the amount owed so she can see her progress in repaying the loan.

A child who does not repay a loan on time needs to see the consequence of a bad credit history: No more loans. And the child who is constantly borrowing may benefit from having a loan request declined to teach how constant borrowing reduces her ability to repay (and therefore qualify for) yet another loan.

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Let friends help you see the bright side

Self-esteem study.
Empathy and reframing can help flip a sombre pal's mood sunny side up, research shows

Being open to positive remarks from friends and family, even during a rough patch, is important for self-esteem, according to researchers at Waterloo University and Wilfrid Laurier University.

The study, which involved 113 undergraduate students with a mean age of 20.3, indicates that self-esteem is in some way a choice, based on

an affinity for the positive.

Overly negative views, they say, spark a chain reaction in which rejection from a lover or potential employer can be interpreted as trail markers along the path to worthlessness.

"People with low self-esteem want their loved ones to see them as they see themselves," says Professor Denise Marigold, from Renison University College at Waterloo and lead author of the study. "As such, they are often resistant to their friends' reminders of how positively they see them and reject what we call positive reframing: expressions of optimism and encouragement for bettering

their situation."

Participants reported that consoling friends and colleagues with low self-esteem was exhausting and frustrating due to their friends' fundamental lack of desire for positive reframing.

The research team found that in consoling a friend with low self-esteem, empathy is often the best approach.

This extends to identifying their negative feelings about their predicament as appropriate.

"If your attempt to point out the silver lining is met with a sullen reminder of the prevailing dark cloud, you might do best to just acknowledge the dark cloud and sym-

pathize," says Marigold.

Additionally, participants reported that trying to cheer up a friend with one such dark side often made them feel worse about themselves, suggesting that low self-esteem is contagious.

Fortunately, there is good news, for if the sombre study didn't have a sunny flip side, then self-esteem would be a rare commodity.

Being open to positive reframing and allowing friends and family to cheer you up can greatly enhance self-esteem.

The findings were published in the *Journal of Personality and Social Psychology*. AFP



Feeling blue? Friends can help you cultivate a sunny attitude. ISTOCK

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Make your home office work for you

Home sweet office.

Set up a productive, peaceful work space with these designer tips

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If you're lucky enough to work from home, you know that no work, in the history of work, has ever been done on the couch. Same goes for the kitchen table. And don't even get us started on the coffee shop: If you're not the fresh-faced, making-it-in-the-city star of a romantic comedy, you have no business working out of a coffee shop.

No, free-roaming friends, you need a proper home office. Whether you're a full-time telecommuter or just dabbling in flexible summer hours, we hit up Philly-based interior designer Mel McDaniel (melmcdanieldesign.com) for tips on setting up a productive, peaceful space.

Pet-friendly amenities



Cat got your keyboard? Get kitty her own perch. THEREFINEDFELINE.COM

You can get a sitter (or premium cable) for the kids. But as for cats, well, they lounge where they please. Keep them off your keyboard with the Kitt-In Box, a genius desk extension from The Refined Feline (we've found that it also accommodates small, sleepy dogs).

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Designate a space

No bedroom to spare? No problem. It's not crucial

that you designate an entire room — just that you design-

nate some room to be used strictly for business. "Closets, nooks, attics — if you need a home office, the space can be found," says McDaniel. "Look carefully: Is there a large closet that could be converted into an office? Is there a part of a room that would work with a space divider?"

Desk direction

A little feng shui goes a long way when it comes to your desk. "Never put a desk so that the person sitting at it has their back to the door," says McDaniel. "It's very unnerving to work without be-

ing able to see the doorway."

Light the way

There's nothing less inspiring than cubicle farm fluorescents. If you're working on your own turf, soften things up overhead, then add additional task lighting near your desk. Pro tip: To free up space, McDaniel recommends ditching the desk lamp and going for wall-mounted fixtures.

Colour theory

One of the easiest ways to differentiate your office space from your living space

is the paint scheme. "Don't be afraid of colour," advises McDaniel. "Branch out from the main colours in your home — it will help create a different feel as you transition from the kitchen into your place of work."

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This delicious olive pesto goes so well with a perfectly cooked cut of beef.

The key to the best flavour and texture with flank steak is to marinate it and don't forget to cut it across the grain.

You can marinate this with a bottled light Italian dressing or use olive oil, lemon juice (or vinegar) and herbs.

Flank steak is one of the leanest cuts of beef you can buy. It's best to cook it medium to medium-rare for the best flavour and texture. Use a meat thermometer and remove from heat when internal temperature reaches 130 F, which would yield medium-rare.

The olive-parsley pesto that you'll top the steak with has a unique taste compared to regular basil pesto. I prefer parsley as it's less expensive and keeps its colour when chopped.

Marinate the steak for up to two days in advance if desired.

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- 1 cup well-packed parsley leaves
- 3 tbsp olive oil
- 1 clove garlic
- 1/4 cup toasted pine nuts or almonds
- 1/4 cup grated Parmesan cheese
- 1/4 cup pitted green olives
- 2 tbsp lemon juice
- 2 tbsp water

Steak

- 1 1/2 lb flank steak

Nutritional information

Per serving

- Calories. 481
- Carbohydrates. 2.9 g
- Fibre. 0.6 g
- Protein. 42.5 g
- Total fat. 28.1 g
- Saturated fat. 9.4 g
- Cholesterol. 120 mg
- Sodium. 380 mg

cheese, olives and lemon juice. Purée until smooth. If too thick, add the water. Set aside.

2. Grill or sauté steak on medium heat 5 to 8 minutes per side or until done to preference. Let rest for 10 minutes, then slice thinly across the grain. Serve with the pesto.

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It's tee-off time, Halifax

GOLFest. Ashburn set to host its 'biggest event by far'

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Thousands of fans on site, millions of viewers watching on television, and of course, some of the top-ranked golfers from around the world taking to the greens.

This week's GOLFest Nova Scotia is "the biggest event by far" that Ashburn Golf Club has ever hosted, general manager Gordie Smith said, adding the "new course" in Windsor Junction is all set for tee-off.

GOLFest action kicks off Monday with the RBC Canada Cup, featuring the likes of 2003 Masters champion Mike Weir and seven-time PGA Tour winner Matt Kuchar as Team Canada takes on Team World in "an intense 18-hole competition."

Competition continues Tuesday with practice rounds featuring players from the Web.com Tour, while the Web.com Pro-Am event takes place Wednesday and the Nova Scotia Open runs Thursday through Sunday.

Clinics, speakers and other special events are also part of the week-long golf celebration.

"The golf course is fantastic," Smith said. "It's probably the best condition I've seen it."

Last week the course was "a little dry, and we wanted the rough to get a little thicker, so we certainly put some fertilizer down, and I think it will thicken the rough up."



The new course at Ashburn Golf Club is set to host some elite golfers this week, beginning Monday with six regular PGA Tour players. JEFF HARPER/METRO

"And the forecast looks good."

Monday shows a high of 27 C with sunny skies, with a range between 22 C and 25 C through the week.

"It's a beautiful facility, we've got a fantastic range, which I think the players will enjoy," Smith said.

"The test is mostly in the greens — it's going to be a challenging putting week for some of them. But I believe the scores will be low."

Hosting GOLFest is also a bit of a test for Ashburn Golf Club. The venue has hosted national amateur events, but "nothing even close" to the golf that will be played this week.

"This is four days of television coverage on the Golf Channel and thousands of spectators, so it's huge," Smith said. "I would really like to get the impression of the players, of the golf course and the facility ... and how it holds up to par."

What's on 'fore' GOLFest

Monday – RBC Canada Cup

Tuesday – Nova Scotia Open Practice Round (Web.com Tour)

Wednesday – Nova Scotia Open Pro-Am

Thursday – Nova Scotia Open (Round 1)

Friday – Nova Scotia Open (Round 2)

Saturday – Nova Scotia Open (Round 3)

Sunday – Nova Scotia Open (Final Round)

For more, go to GOLFestNovaScotia.com

Ehlers all smiles as Jets take Moose sniper



Nikolaj Ehlers was selected ninth overall by the Winnipeg Jets in the NHL draft on Friday.

BRUCE BENNETT/GETTY IMAGES

Nikolaj Ehlers is a two-sport star who credits his time on the soccer pitch with helping his game on the ice.

Ehlers, who played for Denmark's national team until he was 14 before concentrating on hockey, was selected by the Winnipeg Jets with the ninth overall pick in the NHL draft on Friday night.

The five-foot-10, 176-pounder was fourth in the Quebec Major Junior Hockey League with 104 points (49-55) in 63 games with the Halifax Mooseheads this past season.

He feels that his soccer skills have helped him develop more speed on the ice, one of the key elements of his

Did you know?

Ehlers' father, Heinz, was drafted 30 years ago by the New York Rangers (No. 188 overall). He spent his 16-season pro career in Europe.

game.

"I think I'm a fast forward," he said. "I think I have a lot of speed I can use on the wing. I like to set up some nice plays and I like to score some goals."

Ehlers was the first player from the QMJHL to be selected in the 2014 draft. The 18-year-old took the league's rookie of

the year and offensive rookie of the year honours.

Ehlers also had 28 points (11-17) in 16 post-season games for the Mooseheads.

"I found myself becoming more of a fan when I watched him play," said Jets GM Kevin Cheveldayoff. "Any time he got the puck, you felt like something was going to happen."

"He's not the biggest guy when it comes to size, but he plays with such good hockey sense that he knows when to take an opportunity to go, and not really put himself in harm's way to try to make a play."

Ehlers' speed helps com-

pensate for his relatively slight build.

"He doesn't have a lot of weight on him, so you're going to want him to continue to grow, but he's a pretty strong player," said Cheveldayoff. "The way he plays the game and the way he moves out there, he has some hidden strength that a lot of players maybe his size don't."

Ehlers said he planned to hit the gym over the summer.

"Obviously, I've got to get a little bit bigger and stronger," he said. "I can use my speed to get out of the rough time on the ice, but I'm not afraid to get hit or hit somebody."

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Nether say never in Fortaleza



The Netherlands' Arjen Robben leaps over a challenge in the second half of his team's dramatic 2-1 win over Mexico during the Round of 16 in the World Cup on Sunday in Fortaleza, Brazil.

WONG MAYE-E/THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

World Cup. Mexicans ousted by quick-striking Dutch and 'the whistle'

The Dutch were worried about the oppressive heat at Arena Castelao, and left it with the stifling hot conditions to thank for a spot in the World Cup quarter-finals.

An inspired tactical change during the second of two official heat stoppages led to a late goal from Netherlands forward Wesley Sneijder and an injury-time penalty from Klaas Jan Huntelaar in a dramatic 2-1 win over Mexico on Sunday.

"I moved to Plan B at the cooling break," said Netherlands coach Louis van Gaal. "That is a good way to take advantage of those breaks."

Despite scoring 10 goals in three group matches, the Dutch again started the match with a defensive 5-3-2 system. Van Gaal made the switch to a more attacking 4-3-3 formation.

Round of 16

2

Netherlands

1

Mexico

- Mexico has now advanced to the second round at the World Cup six straight times and not reached the quarter-finals.

That helped turn the match around and extend Mexico's second-round curse to six straight World Cups.

"Unbelievable," said Arjen Robben, the Netherlands forward that earned the late penalty. "Five minutes from full time, we were out."

But the Mexicans wilted in the heat as they conceded twice as many goals in the final minutes of the match as they had in the entire group stage.

Mexico coach Miguel Her-

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rera, one of the most popular characters at the World Cup because of his emotive ways on the sidelines, blamed referee Pedro Proenca for the loss and accused Robben of diving under a challenge from Rafael Marquez to earn the penalty.

"Today it was the man with the whistle who eliminated us from the World Cup," Herrera said. "If a referee invents a penalty, you're out of the World Cup."

"I hope they have a look at what happened and that this gentleman goes home just like we are." **THE ASSOCIATED PRESS**

'We will go on': Costa Rica continues to defy odds

Costa Rica beat Greece in a penalty shootout Sunday to reach the World Cup quarter-finals for the first time after defending desperately with 10 men for nearly an hour.

Michael Umana scored the decisive penalty as Costa Rica won the shootout 5-3 after the game ended 1-1.

Greece's Theofanis Gekas saw his penalty saved by Costa Rica goalkeeper Keylor Navas for the only miss in the shootout. Umana scored and straight away sprinted over to where Navas stood to hug him after

Round of 16

1

(5)

Costa Rica

1

(3)

Greece

the 'keeper kept Costa Rica's surprise run at the World Cup alive with a string of last-gasp stops through the 120 minutes.

Costa Rica will play the Netherlands in the quarter-finals on

Saturday in Salvador — a first appearance in the last eight for the Central Americans.

"To the entire people in Costa Rica, those at home and out on the streets, this is for you," Costa Rica's Colombian coach Jorge Luis Pinto said. "This is a people that love football and they deserve it... We will continue fighting. We will go on. We see beautiful things."

Costa Rica took the lead early in the second half at Arena Pernambuco through captain Bryan Ruiz's smooth finish but then had defender Oscar Du-

arte sent off in the 66th minute with a second yellow card for a tackle on Jose Holebas.

The red card changed the game and Greece poured forward for most of the remainder of the match.

The Greeks equalized and finally beat Navas in injury time of regulation time when defender Sokratis Papastathopoulos smashed in a rebound from another Navas save to make the team's numerical advantage eventually pay and temporarily keep it in the World Cup. **THE ASSOCIATED PRESS**



Costa Rica players celebrate after winning a penalty shootout against Greece on Sunday in Recife, Brazil. RICARDO MAZALAN/THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Tweet relief

World Cup breaks Super Bowl record

Nervous Brazilian fans took to Twitter as the final moments of a shootout against Chile broke an all-time record for online buzz during a live event.

Almost 389,000 tweets were generated the minute after Gonzalo Jara's penalty shot hit the right post and allowed Brazil to avoid an early exit. That broke the previous mark of about 382,000 set during this year's Super Bowl.

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Poll

White, rich getting best view in Brazil

A poll on the wealth and race of fans attending a World Cup match in Brazil shows what any TV viewer in the nation has seen — those attending games are overwhelmingly rich and white.

That's particularly noticeable in a nation like Brazil, with more blacks than any other except Nigeria.

A Datafolha polling group survey published Sunday in the Folha de S. Paulo newspaper says that



Fans arrive at Arena Castelao for Sunday's match between Netherlands and Mexico in Fortaleza, Brazil. DRAWLIO JOCA/GETTY IMAGES

at Saturday's Brazil versus Chile match, 67 per cent of attendees were white and 90 per cent came from Brazil's top economic classes.

Similar trends have been observed at other Cup matches — though no polls were carried out.

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Klumsy KLM

Dutch airline feels Mexican backlash

What was meant to be a joke has turned into a PR blunder for Dutch airline KLM after it angered Mexican with a Twitter celebration after the Netherlands' win in the.

KLM posted under the heading "Adios Amigos!" Next to the word "Departures" is the image of a man with a moustache wearing a sombrero. Amid the widespread protest online, the post was pulled a half-hour later. **THE ASSOCIATED PRESS**

Ramadan

Algeria coach leaves fasting decision to players

Algeria's players are being left to decide whether or not they observe the Ramadan fast during Monday's World Cup game against Germany, with coach Vahid Halilhodzic saying it's not a divisive issue.

Observant Muslims avoid food and liquids from dawn to dusk during Ramadan but can skip it if travelling or doing hard physical labour. **THE ASSOCIATED PRESS**

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Toronto Blue Jays' Jose Bautista hits into an inning-ending fielder's choice while pinch hitting in the sixth inning against the Chicago White Sox in Toronto on Sunday. **DARREN CALABRESE/THE CANADIAN PRESS**

Jays shut out against Chicago

MLB. Jays still lead
division standings
despite three-game
drought

Even the pinch-hit return of Jose Bautista could not help the Toronto Blue Jays.

The all-star right-fielder appeared in his first game in a week, pinch hitting in the sixth inning but grounding in to a force out on Sunday as the Chicago White Sox defeated the Blue Jays 4-0, Toronto's third loss in a row.

"Hopefully, Bautista's back in here the next couple of games to give us kind of a jolt in the line-up," said Blue Jays left-hander Mark Buehrle who took the loss despite holding the White Sox to two runs in eight innings.

Chicago got seven strong innings from left-hander Jose Quintana (5-7) and a home run and a double from right-fielder Moises Sierra, who started the season with Toronto.

Bautista, who did not play in at all the in the previous six games because of a mild left hamstring strain, hopes that he will be able to return full-time by Tuesday when the Blue Jays

next play.

"Everybody knows I can't go out on the field and not be 100 per cent," Bautista said before the game after testing the leg by running. "Hopefully by Tuesday I feel better and I can be in the outfield. If not I can DH the whole game and play the day after."

The return of the right-fielder cannot come soon enough. The Blue Jays finished with a 12-15 record in June after winning the first five games of the month. They lead the American League East despite losing nine of their past 13 games.

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NHL

Oilers get Purcell

Sam Gagner was traded twice within 90 minutes Sunday night, first from the Edmonton Oilers to Tampa Bay and then from the Lightning to the Arizona Coyotes.

The Oilers got winger Teddy Purcell from the Lightning in exchange for centre Gagner. The Lightning then flipped him to the Coyotes along with tough guy B.J. Crombeen for a sixth-round pick.

Purcell, a 28-year-old right-winger, has two years left at a cap hit of \$4.5 million. He had 12 goals and 30 assists in 81 games this past season. **THE ASSOCIATED PRESS**

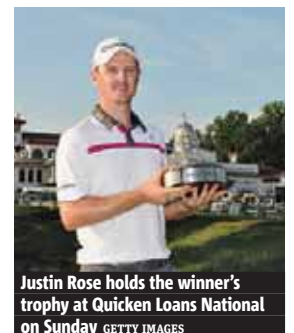
PGA. Rose beats Stephani
in playoff at QLN

Justin Rose got his mistake out of the way one hole early and won the Quicken Loans National in a playoff Sunday over Shawn Stefani.

Tied for the lead as he played the 18th hole at Congressional, Rose tried to hit through two trees left of the fairway and overturned the shot. It ran down a bank and into the water, and he had to hole a 15-foot bogey putt just to stay in the game.

That proved to be the biggest shot he hit all day.

Despite his blunder on the 18th, Rose earned his second chance. He went 14 straight holes without making a bogey.



Justin Rose holds the winner's trophy at Quicken Loans National on Sunday. **GETTY IMAGES**

Along with the 15-foot bogey putt he made on the 18th, he saved par on the 17th with an 8-foot putt. **THE ASSOCIATED PRESS**

Horoscopes

Aries

March 21 - April 20

Honesty is by far the best policy, so get ready to tell a loved one something you fear may turn them against you. According to the planets you'll be surprised to discover they don't really care — in the nicest possible way.

Taurus

April 21 - May 21

You need to get serious about your money situation. For too long you've been content to take what you were given but as communications planet Mercury is about to move in your favour again ask for more.

Gemini

May 22 - June 21

Many things will change over the next few days — and mostly nice things. The planets are about to reward you for all the efforts you made but that is not an invitation to stop there.

Cancer

June 22 - July 23

Close your ears to criticism and let your heart lead you. The more others tell you that you are on the wrong course, the more you should keep to the path you are on.

Leo

July 24 - Aug. 23

If you join forces with like-minded people over the next two days you'll accomplish something remarkable. It may not be possible for one person to change the world but many minds working together can.

Virgo

Aug. 24 - Sept. 23

The planets indicate people of authority will look on you favourably over the next few days, so keep doing what you are doing and make sure you do it with a smile.

Libra

Sept. 24 - Oct. 23

Cosmic activity in your fellow Air sign of Gemini will do wonders for your confidence over the next 48 hours and it won't be long before what you've been worrying about is in the dustbin of history.

Scorpio

Oct. 24 - Nov. 22

The more others try to intimidate you today the more you must stick to your guns. They are only criticizing you this much because they fear that your plans might succeed.

Sagittarius

Nov. 23 - Dec. 21

There are times when it is sensible to let others take the lead and this is one of them. As of tomorrow, when Mercury moves in your favour again, you can seize the initiative and make things happen.

Capricorn

Dec. 22 - Jan. 20

You need to get your everyday affairs in order but to do that you will need to be more ruthless. Anything that distracts you from your aims must be cut out of your life altogether. That includes people too.

Aquarius

Jan. 21 - Feb. 19

Be dynamic and make the most of whatever new opportunities come your way. Everything will work out for the best if you believe in yourself and that the Universe is on your side.

Pisces

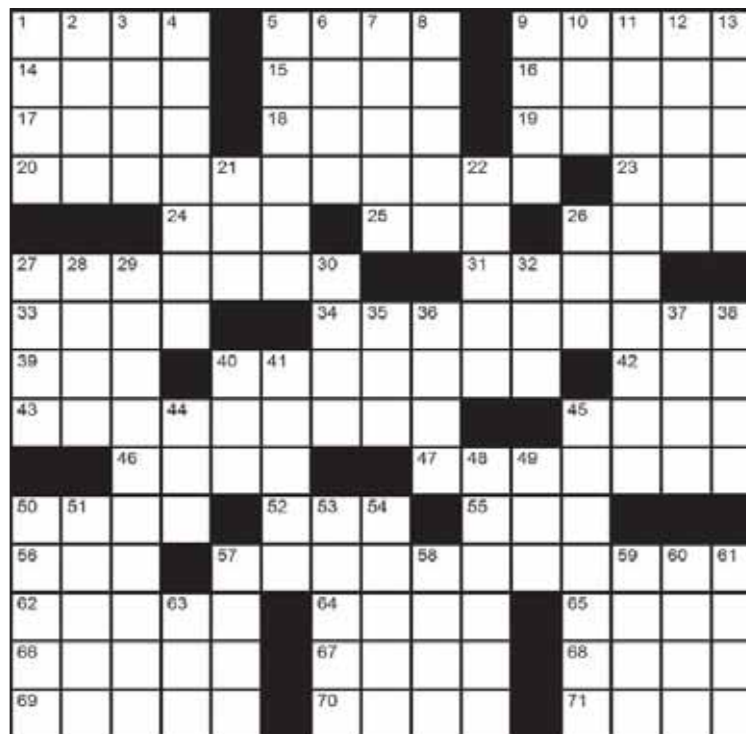
Feb. 20 - March 20

Over the next two days the planets will bring to a head issues you've been avoiding. Once you realize you can no longer run away you'll have to seek solutions. **SALLY BROMPTON**

Crossword: Canada Across and Down

Across

1. Engage in
5. Pouches
9. Particular pear
14. Reunion attendee
15. Firefighter
16. Red veggies
17. Type of tide
18. ___ agreement
19. Classifieds cost: 2 wds.
20. Recently passed away lyricist played by Canadian actor Jake Epstein in Beautiful - The Carole King Musical: 2 wds.
23. Bus. day
24. ___ de cologne
25. Hosiery hue
26. Deejay's exclamation: "It's ___!"
27. Sing without singing [var. sp.]: 2 wds.
31. Skin opening
33. 'Meteor' suffixes
34. Treat of tiers: 2 wds.
39. TV kind
40. TTC = Toronto ___ Commission
42. Fleur-de-___ [var. sp.]
43. Ontario: Town in the County of Dufferin
45. Ms. Ward
46. Thailand, formerly
47. Helix hit: 2 wds.
50. 60-___ bulb
52. Except...
55. King: French
56. Avril's fave mo.
57. It's on display



- especially on July 1st:
2 wds.
62. Cattiness
64. Press
65. Anastasia's dad's job
66. Tartan
67. Woodwind
68. Ms. Fitzgerald
69. Feel

70. Meddlesome [var. sp.]
71. "Disco Duck" singer Rick

Down

1. Designer Vera
2. Helm position
3. Thickening gum

4. ___ of Ireland aka 'Canada's Titanic' (Ocean liner which sank in the St. Lawrence in 1914)
5. 1980 miniseries
6. ___ Space Museum of Calgary
7. Artsy creation
8. Syllable-singing

- system
9. Lift ___ (Make okay again)
10. Mr. Beatty
11. "Angel Eyes" Canadian singer/guitarist: 2 wds.
12. Comic actress Cheri
13. Exerciser's motto,

- "___ or lose..."
21. "Whoopee!"
22. Where Charlotte-town is, ___
26. Rainbow's shape
27. Abner, et al.
28. Rash reaction
29. Esplanade Riel, ___ bridge in Winnipeg
30. Benny Goodman's instr.
32. Suppertime scrap
35. ___Margret
36. Flanders river
37. Metric weight, briefly
38. Jacob's Bible twin
40. Acronym for time as yet unknown
41. Dance style
44. Illumed
45. ___ the issue (Avoided)
48. Scotland's ___ Islands
49. Crime fighter
50. They look like skinny bees
51. Particular pie
53. Toronto's ___ Station
54. 2013 Ryan Reynolds cartoon about a speedy snail in which he voiced the title character
57. Relinquish control
58. Murrums
59. 1970 rock festival, ___ of Wight
60. Valley
61. Times
63. Shakespearean contraction

Friday's Crossword



Sudoku

How to play

Fill in the grid, so that every row, every column and every 3x3 box contains the digits 1-9. There is no math involved.

Friday's Sudoku

6	2	3	8	9	5	1	4	7
5	7	8	2	1	4	3	9	6
9	4	1	7	3	6	5	8	2
7	6	9	4	8	1	2	3	5
1	5	2	9	7	3	4	6	8
3	8	4	5	6	2	7	1	9
8	1	5	3	2	9	6	7	4
4	9	6	1	5	7	8	2	3
2	3	7	6	4	8	9	5	1

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Tuesday

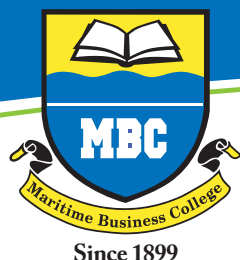
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